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GIANTS TAKE SEVENTH GAME BY 2-1 SCORE

For First Time in World Series, the National League Champion Lead in Games Won.

VICTORS WERE OUTHIT

"Homerun" Baker Substitutes for McNally in Second When Latter Injures His Shoulder.

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Yankees 010 000 000—1 8 1
Giants 000 100 100—2 6 0
Batteries: Yankees, Mays and Schang; Giants, Douglas and Snyder.

By United Press.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 12.—The Yankees today won the seventh game of the world series, 2-1, by a score which gave them a 4-3 lead in the series.

In the seventh inning, 40,000 fans, sitting under heavy clouds that threatened rain momentarily, witnessed the feat that gave the National League champions the game. Snyder responded to the ovation given him by Giant rooters in this inning by smashing a double to center which sent Rawlings over the plate with the run that gave the Giants the game and a 4-3 lead in the series. Rawlings had reached first base on an error by Ward.

"Shufflin'" Phil Douglas came in for an equal share of the glory by pitching a brilliant game that completely subdued the heavy-hitting Yankees. His only bad performance came in the second inning. It was then the Yanks got their only run of the game. Pipp doubled, took third on Ward's sacrifice grounder and came in on McNally's single to right. The Yanks were then through for the afternoon.

In the seventh inning the American League champions had an ideal opportunity to score. With two down Frank Baker singled and went to third on Willie Schang's single. Carl Mays, usually a good hitter, failed in the pinch with a feeble infield out.

The Giants scored their first run in the fourth when Young singled, stole second and crossed the plate on "Irish" Muesel's single.

"Homerun" Baker, of past World Series fame, broke into play for the first time of the series when McNally suffered a sprained shoulder sliding into second in the second inning. It is probable the fleet-footed third baseman will not get back into the game again this season. Baker showed his capability by getting two of the Yanks' eight hits and filling the position without an error.

DR. J. C. JONES RECEIVES A LETTER FROM FOCH

He May Visit the University of Missouri While in the United States.

Dr. J. C. Jones, acting president of the University of Missouri, has just received a letter direct from Marshall Foch in Paris expressing his appreciation of the invitation to visit the University of Missouri while in this country. He is uncertain, however, whether he will be able to visit here as he does not know how much time he will have at his disposal before the conference at Washington.

The letter says in part: "Marshall Foch is very appreciative of your kind invitation and directs me to express to you his sincere thanks. He will be very glad to visit the University at Columbia, if it is at all possible. Unfortunately, he does not know whether the time at his disposal will permit a visit to Columbia."

Marshall Foch will arrive in New York October 26 and will go from there to Washington where he will stay until October 30 when he leaves to attend the convention of the American Legion at Kansas City. He will deliver a speech to the Legion on November 1. It is between this time and November 11, when he will return to Washington for the conference that Acting-President Jones is trying to get him to visit Columbia and address the student body.

FORMER COLUMBIAN DIES

News of Death of Stephen Yeaman Is Received by J. S. Denham.

Word that Stephen Yeaman, formerly a resident of Columbia, is dead, was received yesterday by John S. Denham, his father-in-law. Particulars regarding his death were not stated in the telegram sent by Mrs. Yeaman, from Idaho Falls, Mont.

Stephen Yeaman was the grandson of Dr. Pope Yeaman, one of the early settlers of Boone County, who lived west of town.

Naptonville Bank Robbed of \$1,500.

By United Press.
NAPTONVILLE, Mo., Oct. 12.—Robbers who entered the Naptonville State Bank here during the night blew the safe and escaped with \$1,500. Armed citizens are searching for the bandits.

Rev. J. H. George Is Improving.

The Rev. James H. George, who was injured Sunday in an automobile accident, is much improved. He will be able to be out tomorrow unless unknown injuries arise.

School Children the Only Ones Who Keep Tradition of Columbus

With the exception of a few of the grades in the ward schools, Columbia has apparently forgotten that today is the day set aside for the celebration of the deeds of the man for which it was named. October 12 is known throughout the country as Columbus Day, commemorating the day America was discovered.

How Columbus did it—from the plea to Isabella to his return to Spain with the redskin warriors—was shown today in a pageant at the Lee school in celebration of the day. The program was given by grade five, under the direction of the teacher, Miss Alma Willett.

Each grade in the Eugene Field School had a short program commemorating Columbus and the discovery of America. Children in other schools celebrated the day by studying and discussing life and exploits of the discoverer.

There was no municipal celebration of the day. Mayor James Gordon said this morning that he did not recall any local municipal celebration in honor of Columbus. Although this day is a legal holiday in Missouri and twenty-two other states, for a great majority of the people it has no traditions.

It was at 2 o'clock on the morning of October 12, 429 years ago, that a cannon shot from the Pinta, one of the three ships carrying Columbus and his

adventurous sailors, announced that one of the crew of that vessel had sighted land. For more than four centuries after that day the celebration of this epoch of history was, so far as is known, left to particular organizations and societies. Because the organizations were the first to celebrate the day, it is said that there became a feeling of prejudice against municipal parades and other forms of public celebration.

The first systematic management of a public celebration of Columbus Day, according to an article written by Everett B. Mero, secretary of the Citizens' Public Celebration Association of Boston, began in that city with a pageant-parade in 1912. The parade was said to be one of the most brilliant spectacles ever witnessed in Boston. Forty thousand men of the army, navy, state militia and various Catholic societies passed the reviewing stand. Many floats pictured scenes from the life of the discoverer. One of these was a representation of Columbus seeking aid at the court of Spain.

The success of the celebration was so great that the celebration of Columbus Day by the public as well as by certain organizations, was looked upon with favor by many cities of the United States. As a result there are at the present time twenty-three states in the Union that proclaim October 12 a legal holiday.

INQUIRING REPORTER

"What do you think of the names of the streets being pointed on the curbs?" the inquiring reporter asked five persons picked at random.

Prof. H. A. LaRue, 1400 Rosemary Lane: "If the names of the streets are pointed on the curbs they won't last very long, but if the names are inlaid with blocks of cement or tile of a contrasting color as they are on the boulevards in Kansas City, it would be a good idea. However, this would not be practical here as it would necessitate tearing up the streets. It seems to me that after all the posts would be better, for the average person is more likely to look for the name of a street on a post than he would on the curb. Then too, the driver of an automobile can see the name of a street on a post more readily than he would on the curb."

Mrs. J. L. Roselle, Boone County National Bank: "It doesn't make much difference how they put the names on the corners. The cheapest way of putting them up and the cost of regular upkeep should be considered. The people of Columbia don't need the signs, but we should have them so that the strangers in town can find their way about."

Miss Edith Hamby, 609 Hitt street: "I think it's a bright idea. We need signs on the corners so that people can find their way about. People have often asked me where certain streets are but I have been unable to tell them. If we had signs on the curbs we would soon learn the names of the streets in Columbia."

Miss Christine Hanschild, 502 South Williams street: "I believe that if the names of the streets were pointed on the curbs they would be more lasting. Columbia certainly needs something like that so that the many new students and strangers can find their way about."

Pat M. Wood, Postmaster: "Signs on curbs will wash off. It is just like a street that has been paved and not kept in repair. If they don't keep the signs in good condition we might as well not have any. The residents of Columbia do not look for signs any more. It is the tourists that look for the names of streets on posts, and for that reason I think we should have sign posts."

FOR FORCED VACCINATION

Dr. Norris Approves of Regulation by National Law.

Dr. W. A. Norris, Boone County Health Commissioner believes that compulsory vaccination should be made a national law, and that until there is such a law, the Board of Education should compel every school child to be vaccinated before he enters school.

In the United States, say, special expert J. N. Force and Dr. J. P. Leake, of the United States Public Health Service, in a recent public health report, smallpox depends on the popular vote, for investigation shows that states having more stringent vaccination laws have a lower rate of smallpox.

Smallpox statistics also show that people have generally obeyed the smallpox laws they have made. In states where vaccination of school children is generally required the number of cases of smallpox averages three cases a year in a community of one hundred thousand inhabitants. The states where there is no law concerning vaccination have 113 cases a year for each 100,000 persons. This is such a high rate that one person out of every thirty would at some time have an attack of smallpox.

Mrs. W. C. Melloway Dead.

Mrs. W. C. Melloway, who lived with her husband and two children, six and one-half miles southwest of Columbia, died at 2 o'clock this morning of peritonitis. Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning at the Sugar Creek Church.

Mrs. Bullman Returns to St. Louis.

Mrs. R. Bullman who has been visiting her son here, returned to her home in St. Louis today.

"ABOLITION OF ARMAMENT IS NOT POSSIBLE"

Harding Gives View in Emphatic Terms in Letter Made Public Today at White House.

U. S. DELEGATES MEET

President Takes Stand for Reasonable Limitation, Meaning Something Practical, Not Ideal.

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Universal disarmament is impossible and even its desirability is questionable, President Harding said today.

The President's view which makes it clear the American delegation at the arms party will seek only a limitation of armaments was stated in emphatic terms in a letter made public at the White House to stem a growing propaganda for complete abolition of armaments.

The letter made public, simultaneously with the assembling of the delegates to the disarmament conference here today, was addressed to Miss Ella Fred, Brooklyn, N. Y., who had written Harding urging him to work for complete disarmament.

Hundreds of letters have come to the White House urging that the President and delegates insist on the wiping out of armies and navies at the conference. This propaganda, Harding believes, is arousing false hopes which cannot be realized, and which, if insisted upon, might wreck the conference.

Harding's reply declared for "reasonable limitation." He replied that this letter "seemed to bring a message of hopelessness" to those seeking universal disarmament and asked him to explain what he meant by "reasonable limitation."

By "reasonable limitation," the President said, "I mean something practical that there is a chance to accomplish, rather than an ideal that there would be no chance to realize."

U. S. Delegates to Conference Meet.

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Members of the American delegation to the disarmament conference met here today at the State Department to discuss policies and plans for the forthcoming conference.

GEM ROBBERS

MAKE BIG HAUL

Jewelry and Diamonds Valued at Nearly \$60,000 Taken From Merchant.

By United Press.
ST. LOUIS, Oct. 12.—Three men today bound, gagged and robbed Sol Kauffman, New York jewelry merchant, of jewelry and unset diamonds valued at between \$50,000 and \$60,000, in his room at the Hotel Maryland.

The robbers gained admittance by crying "telegram," bound Kauffman to the bed and threatened to kill him. Then they went through his trunks, took all the gems and escaped.

REV. MADISON A. HART

DECLINES PRESIDENCY

No Other Person Is Being Considered for Head of William Woods College.

Special to The Missourian.

FELTON, Mo., Oct. 12.—The Rev. Madison A. Hart, former pastor of the Christian Church at Columbia, has definitely declined the presidency of William Woods College here, according to a message reaching W. Ed Jameson, chairman of the Board of Trustees, this afternoon.

Doctor Hart is now pastor of the Christian Church in Danville, Ky., and gave his inability to leave his present position as the reason for not accepting the William Woods offer. No other man is being considered to fill the vacancy. Mr. Jameson said this afternoon.

MRS. HOPE'S FUNERAL TODAY

Daughter of James Peyton, an Old Settler in Boone County.

Funeral services were held in Central at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon for Mrs. W. R. Hope of Roswell, N. M. Mrs. Hope's death came shortly after a nervous breakdown.

Mrs. Hope, formerly Miss Minnie McKenzie, was born December 31, 1887 in Boone County, Missouri. She was 34 years old at the time of her death. She was the daughter of James Peyton McKenzie, an old settler in Boone County.

At the age of 14, Miss McKenzie went to Wagner, Okla., and lived with her sister, Mrs. L. E. Palmer. She was married in 1905 to W. R. Hope. Mrs. Hope leaves her husband and two children, also three sisters and two brothers. They are Mrs. Julius Edwards, Mrs. Cleveland Denton of Centralia, Miss Dollie McKenzie, who is teaching school in Oregon, and Lloyd Peyton and A. J. McKenzie of San Antonio, Tex.

Those from Columbia who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Wycliffe McKenzie, Mrs. A. J. McKenzie, Mrs. A. J. Palmer and Mrs. B. W. Millon.

IZORA JACKSON RELEASED

Has Tuberculosis—Will Be Returned to Jail Upon Recovery.

Izora Jackson, serving time in the Boone County jail, for conviction on charge of bootlegging, was released this morning, according to Sheriff Fred Brown, when Dr. W. A. Norris, county health officer, certified that Jackson had tuberculosis.

Mr. Brown said that Jackson would be returned to jail to complete his term as soon as he regained health.

STATE NURSES TO MEET HERE

Columbia Chosen for Next Convention of 1,200 Women.

The Missouri State Nurses' Association, with a membership of 1,200, will hold its next meeting at Columbia, it was decided at yesterday's meeting in St. Louis. A dinner tonight following the business meeting this afternoon will end the meeting.

BATH TUB IS UNVEILED BY STEPHENS GIRLS; HOT WATER ON TAP

"We want hot water," has been the cry of the Stephens College girls, who room at Wood Hall dormitory.

They got the hot water and to show their appreciation for the necessary cleansing powers, they sanctioned an unveiling of a bath tub. The girls took the bath tub of James M. Wood, Jr., which was small and appropriate for this occasion, and carried out a ceremony which was fitting for the arrival of the hot water.

Roy T. Davis, secretary of the college, made the unveiling speech, and vocal and piano music added to the program. After the ceremony the girls of Wood Hall held an informal party by which they celebrated the long-looked-for heated water.

Lack of hot water in this dormitory was due to the gas line running to that building. It did not carry a sufficient amount of gas to heat the water. A new line was piped to the dormitory and now they have hot water every hour.

BODY OF WAR

HERO ARRIVES

Military Ceremonies Will Be Held at University Auditorium Sunday.

The body of Herbert C. Williams, Columbia war hero, for whom the local American Legion post was named, reached Columbia last night on the 7:10 o'clock Washash. The body was under the escort of Private J. P. Dunlavy of Jefferson Barracks.

Members of the American Legion, including Dr. C. M. Speed, post commander, met the train and assisted in removing the body to the Parker undertaking parlors.

Military ceremonies will be conducted at the University Auditorium at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. Dr. J. G. Jones, acting president of the University; the Rev. J. D. Randolph, former army chaplain; Governor Henry J. Allen of Kansas and Governor A. M. Hyde of Missouri probably will speak. Maj. Gen. Peter E. Traub, former commander of the Thirty-fifth division, of which Williams was a member, has also been asked to speak.

The ceremonies Sunday morning will be a memorial for all Boone County men who fell in the world war, according to Doctor Speed. Reservations will be made at the auditorium for the parents of those who fell during the war. The University Band will furnish music.

After the funeral services Sunday morning, the body will be taken to the Goshen Church cemetery at Wilton, Mo., for burial. Mr. and Mrs. C. Williams, parents of Herbert Williams, are members of Goshen Church and Herbert was born and raised in Wilton.

Herbert Williams was a member of Company F, 139th Infantry, Thirty-fifth Division. He was killed on September 29, 1918, near Exerment, France, during the Argonne offensive, and is said to have been found dead farther in advance of the Thirty-fifth than any other member of that division.

Williams is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pink Williams, 101 Sexton road; a half-sister, Mrs. Ona Sapp, Wilton, Mo.; a half-brother, Morris Rippetto, Wilton, Mo.; Mrs. Louis Sachas, Jefferson City; Ethel and John F. Williams, Columbia.

SUBSCRIPTIONS REACH 1,000

Installment Plan Is Making Savitar Campaign a Success.

One thousand Savitars were sold yesterday afternoon in the first day of the 1922 Savitar campaign being held the first part of this week, according to an announcement made by Clarence Lockwood, Savitar business manager, this morning.

The popular-price installment plan is responsible for many subscribers to the Savitar. Only \$1.00 must be paid now, the remaining four dollars to be paid within four months.

Competition for the individual prizes, trips to the annual gridiron classic at Lawrence, Kan., on Thanksgiving Day, and for the organization prize, a large silver loving up, is very keen. Marjorie Harbaugh, Joe Reed, Conrad Eckert, Florence Whittier, Mildred Boucher, and Keith Schenck are leading.

Approximately 750 Savitars are expected to be sold today, and the remaining number to complete the goal of 3,000 will be sold during the latter part of this week and next week.

COMPANY K PLANS PARTY

Thursday Will Be General Parade For Entire Infantry.

Company K of the Third Battalion R. O. T. C. held its first "Get Together" last night at the Y. M. C. A. Plans for a party were discussed and general good fellowship promoted.

On Thursday there will be a general regimental parade with the University Cadet Band and the entire Infantry under arms.

1,758

The city paid circulation, by carriers, of the Missourian yesterday was 1,758.

2,846

The total paid circulation of the Missourian yesterday was 2,846.

IRA L. DAVIS IS FINED \$100 BY CIRCUIT COURT

Charged With Carrying Concealed Weapon Last Spring When He Shot Claude Brown.

RESULT OF COUNCIL FIGHT

Defendant Says He Was Only Carrying Gun to His Home but Jury Decides Differently.

A fine of \$100 was given Ira L. Davis by a jury in the Boone County Circuit Court yesterday afternoon when he was found guilty of the charge of carrying a concealed weapon. This trial resulted from Mr. Davis shooting Claude Brown, superintendent of the Columbia water and light department, March 21, 1921.

At the time of the shooting Mr. Davis was a member of the City Council. The cause of the shooting was a dispute over the bids for a turbine. There had been hard feelings between the two since a dispute at the council meeting held February 21, and when the two became involved in a fight at the meeting held in the water and light office Mr. Davis drew a revolver and shot Mr. Brown twice. For a time his injuries were thought to be dangerous but he finally recovered.

Prosecuting Attorney Ruby M. Hulien brought the charge of carrying a concealed weapon when the charge of assault with intent to kill was dismissed.

When it became known that the trial was being held the court room was almost filled.

Mr. Davis based his defense on the fact that he was only carrying the gun to his home and that this did not constitute carrying concealed weapons. The defendant alleged that on the morning of the shooting he had taken his car to have it repaired and that he removed the gun from it with the intention of taking it home.

Frank Lama of Kansas City was sentenced to sixty days in the Boone County jail and fined \$100 this afternoon in the Circuit Court when he withdrew a plea of not guilty and entered a plea of guilty to the charge of transporting liquor.

NOVEMBER 12

TO BE BIG DAY

Prizes Will Be Offered for Best Decorations for Homecoming.

Homecoming this year will be the most elaborate from the viewpoint of decoration, the most varied from the standpoint of entertainment, and the most successful in the number of alumni and former students attending, in the history of the University of Missouri, according to those in charge of the plans.

To stimulate interest in the decoration of homes, R. L. Hill, president of the Commercial Club, has appointed a committee to raise funds for and to select a suitable prize to be awarded to the University organization with the best-decorated house during Homecoming. The committee is composed of Ed Watson, chairman; Mrs. J. C. Jones, and J. Max McCann.

The Student Council will offer another prize for business establishments with the best window decorations for Homecoming. The prize will probably be something that can be used for future window decoration.

The decorating committee has also made elaborate plans for the decoration of Rollins Field.

The plans of the entertainment committee are still tentative, but will probably include a torchlight parade, featuring all of the classes represented here by former students and graduates, who will carry appropriate banners to designate their class or year of graduation.

The Mizoun Bazzers have promised to co-operate in every way with the Homecoming committee.

FORMER STURGEON MAN

SHOOTING GIRL, KILLS SELF

Love Triangle of Harry H. Slick Ends With Tragedy in Kansas City.

Harry H. Slick, 35 years old, formerly of Sturgeon, shot and killed a young woman in Kansas City yesterday and then took his own life while his wife waited outside the building, it was learned here today.

The young woman was Hazel Masten, 24 years old, a divorcee. The shooting took place in a beauty shop near Thirty-first street and Troost avenue.

Mrs. Slick who lived with her husband and Wilma, their 7-year-old daughter, said immediately after the shooting that she had agreed to give her husband a divorce.

Women's Auxiliary Meets Friday.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will hold an all-day meeting at the church on Friday, October 14. Circle Number 2 will have charge of the program. Circle Number 6 of the devotion and Circle Number 1 will be the hostess.

THE WEATHER

For Columbia and vicinity: Fair and somewhat warmer tonight and Thursday; frost in low and exposed places. Lowest temperature tonight 38 or 40.

For Missouri: Fair tonight and Thursday; frost tonight east and south portions; rising temperature Thursday and in the northwest portion tonight.

Temperature last night was near the freezing value in Missouri, outside of the larger cities, and in Iowa, Nebraska, and Kansas; to the south and east of Missouri it was not so cool but there was frost in low and exposed places. The atmospheric pressure is diminishing in western districts with rising temperature, but fair weather is the outlook for over Thursday. Missouri roads are in fair shape.

The highest temperature in Columbia yesterday was 53 degrees; and the lowest last night was 32 degrees. Precipitation 0.00. A year ago yesterday the highest temperature was 81 degrees and the lowest was 64 degrees. Precipitation 0.00. Sun rose today 6:16 a. m. Sun sets 5:35 p. m. Moon sets 2:06 a. m.

Frost Does Little Damage.

Last night's frost did no material damage to crops, according to George Reeder of the local weather bureau. The only things injured were some of the late gardens. Inured were the first frost came late in the month, but this is the usual time for it to begin in Columbia, Mr. Reeder said.

RAILROADS TO SLASH WAGES

Union Heads Say There Will Be a Strike if Another Cut Is Made.

By United Press.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—Railroad executives again plan to slash the wages of two million railroad workers, it was learned today.

The executives of the leading carriers of the country who met here Friday have definitely decided on this step. The amount to be cut from the payroll will be decided at the conference.

Heads of the big railroad unions refused to discuss the question today, but stood by their former statement that there would be a strike if wages were cut in addition to the \$400,000,000 reduction, effective last July 1.

WRITERS' GUILD HOLDS MEET

H. F. Grinstead and Mrs. R. W. Freudenberger Attend Outing.

The Missouri Writers' Guild held its seventh annual outing at Perle Springs the week of October 1. Members from Columbia who attended were Hugh F. Grinstead, president of the Guild, and Mrs. Ruby Westlake Freudenberger, secretary.

This is the annual play-time of the writers as the business meeting is in Columbia the first day of Journalism Week. The time was taken up with boating, wiener roasts, moving picture plays written and staged by the members and anything else they felt like doing.

The writers have been so well pleased with their outing this year that they are considering making Perle Springs the permanent meeting place. Hereafter they have met in the Ozarks, last year at Gasconade on the Gasconade River.

Well-known Missouri writers who attended were Miss Shirley Seifert, St. Louis; Mrs. Louise Platt Hauck, St. Joseph; Mrs. Elizabeth Palmer Milbank, Chillicothe; Mrs. Myrtle Jamison Trachsel, Kansas City; J. West Goodwin, Sedalia; P. Casper Harvey, Liberty; E. B. McCann, Kansas City; Miss Amela Hansman, St. Louis; and James W. Carp, Kansas City.

BURIAL TO BE HELD HERE

Body of Wilson Bedford Is Shipped From Los Angeles.

The body of Wilson Bedford who died in Los Angeles, Cal., Monday, and who is to be buried here will arrive Saturday afternoon accompanied by his daughter Miss Catherine Bedford of that city. The body will be taken directly from the station to the Columbia cemetery where the funeral services will be held. Only members of the immediate family and a few friends will attend. *Funeral services will be said by the Rev. W. M. Haushalter, pastor of the First Christian Church.

These men will act as pallbearers: A. J. Estes, Joe Estes, Eyles Bedford, Walter Robinson, C. A. Raum and E. M. Watson.

Society to Hold All-Day Meeting.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Broadway Methodist Church will hold its all-day meeting at the church, beginning at 10:30 o'clock Friday morning. The report of the delegates to the District Meeting at Higbee will be given. Mrs. S. B. Searey is the leader for the afternoon program. Members are requested to bring their donations for Searrett Bible and Training School and Wesley House. Business of importance is to be discussed at the meeting. A good attendance is desired.

State Farm Roads to Be Improved.

Plans for extensive improvements on the roads and walks of the University farm have been made. The appropriations have been granted for developing most of the roads. In the near future they will be surfaced and the curbs and guttering will be completed.

Actress Acquitted of Murder.

By United Press.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 12.—Marian McArnold, 20-year-old actress, was acquitted of the murder of her step-father, Dan Kaber, by a jury here today.

LOCAL I. O. O. F. BEATS RECORD GIVING DEGREE

Columbia Encampment No. 74 Confers the Patriarchal Honor on Sixty-Four Candidates.

MANY ATTEND BANQUET

Officers for Year Elected at Business Session Today—to Meet at Neosho Next Year.

The Columbia Encampment No. 74 of the I. O. O. F. last night broke the state record of fifty-one candidates recently given the patriarchal degree by the Weidell Encampment No. 1 of St. Louis, when it gave the degree to sixty-four candidates. Six other members who would have taken the degree were unable to attend.